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**PATENT APPLICATION**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Masaaki IMAI

Group Art Unit: 2122

Application No.: 09/277,373

Examiner: C. KENDALL

Filed: March 29, 1999

Docket No.: 103014

For: DEVICE FOR REWRITING SOFTWARE PROGRAMS IN PERIPHERAL DEVICES  
CONNECTED TO A NETWORK

**AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the May 22, 2003 Office Action, the period for reply being extended by the  
attached Petition for Extension of Time, please consider the following:

**Amendments to the Claims** as reflected in the listing of claims; and

**Remarks.**